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SUBJECT: WTDR-BFI-ELEKTRONIK GMBH

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1. ADDRESS: POSTFACH 700226, 26-28 HAINERWEG, 6000 FRANKFURT/ MAI,, WEST GERMANY, CABLE: BEFIRON, TELEX: 412164, PHONE: 0611-617099, OFFICERS: FRANK W PARKER, MANAGER, KURT SCHRAMM, ASST. MANAGER.

2. THE FIRM WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1960 AS A SUBSIDIARY OF THE AMERICAN FIRM B. FREUDENBERG INC. 50 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA, NEW YORK NY 10020, FOR THE SALES REPRESENTATION ON THE EUROPEAN MARKET OF A NUMBER OF AMERICA MANU-FACTURING FIRMS. THE SALES PROGRAM COMPRISES ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS, TEST AND ELECTRONIC CONTROLLING EQUIPMENT, SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING EQUIPMENT, COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT AND COMPUTER EQUIPMENT. BFI WORKS WITH 15 OFFICE EMPLOYEES.

3. FINANCIAL REFERENCES: ALLGEMEINE ELSASSISCHE BANK-GESELLSCHAFT AG, BRANCH KARLSRUHE, TRADE REFERENCES: AFFILIATED MANUFACTURERS INC US ROUTE 22, WHITEHOUSE, NJ 08888 AND SEE ITEM 4.

4. FOREIGN FIRMS REPRESENTED: AFFILIATED MANUFACTURERS INC. WHITEHOUSE, NJ; AUTOMATED BUSINESS SYSTEMS, DIV OF
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LITTON INDUSTRIE, CARLSTADT, NJ; BTU ENGINEERING CORP,

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WALTHAM MASS, E E BARTON CO, SAN FERNANDO, CALIF.;
CIPHER DATA PRODUCTS INC, SANDIEGO, CALIF; HELLER INDUSTR.
INC, LIVINGSTON , NJ, THESES ARE THE SIX MOST IMPORTANT OF
ABOUT 45 US FIRMS REPRESENTED.

5. THE FIRM IS REGISTERED AS A CORPORATION ON SHARES WITH A
NOMINAL CAPITAL OF DM 250,000, OVER 90 PERCENT HELD BY B
FREUDEN-BERG INC. THE LAST ANNUAL VOLUME OF BUSINESS GIVEN IS AT
ABOUT DM 60 MILLION.THE FIRM HAS A GOOD REPUTATION AND
ITS FINANCIAL SITUATION APPEARS TO BE ORDERLY. NO DERO-
GATORY INFORMATION WAS RECEIVED ON PAYMENTS
OR OTHERWISE. RECOMMENDED AS A GOOD BUSINESS CONTACT
FOR US FIRMS.

6. INFO 01/74 PREPARED BY P BARTOLSIX AND APPROVED
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